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Hague, May 16, *N. S.*

THE Prince of Orange, accompanied by her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Royal, and the young Prince and Princeſs, ſet out the Day before Yeſterday for Loo, where their Highneſſes are to arrive as this Day.

St. James's, May 5.

This Day the Chevalier Oſſorio, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Sardinia, and Count Perron his Succeſſor in the ſame Character, had private Audiences of his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland.

And afterwards of her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Amelia.

To which they were introduced by Charles Cottrell, Eſq; Aſſiſtant Maſter of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, May 9.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint Alexander Dury, Eſq; to be Lieutenant Colonel to the Firſt Regiment of Foot Guards, commanded by his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland.

Samuel Gumley, Eſq; to be Firſt Major, and
Edward Carr, Eſq; to be Second Major.

Edward Wynn, Eſq;
John Colleton, Eſq; and
George Lord Viſcount How, to be Captains; and
John Seabright, to be Captain Lieutenant.
William Draper, Eſq; and
George Damer, Eſq; to be Lieutenants.
Lord Frederick Cavendiſh,
George Evans,
George Parker, and
Henry Conſtantine Jennings, to be Enſigns in the ſaid Regiment.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint John Waldegrave, Eſq; to be Firſt Major, and the Right Honourable William Earl of Home to be Second Major to the Third Regiment of Foot Guards, commanded by the Right Honourable John Earl of Dunmore.

Thomas Burges, Eſq; and
George Haldane, Eſq; to be Captains.

Francis Wheeler, Eſq; to be Lieutenant, and
Collin Ferguſon, to be Enſign in the ſaid Regiment.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint John Lafauſille, Eſq; to be Lieutenant Colonel to his Majeſty's own Regiment of Foot, commanded by Lieutenant General Edward Wolfe; and

Arthur Loftus, to be Major to the ſaid Regiment.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint Henry Stubbs, to be Lieutenant, and Thomas Keyte, to be Cornet in the Royal Regiment of Horſe Guards, commanded by his Grace the Duke of Somerſet.

Whitehall, May 9.

The King has been pleaſed to appoint Sir Charles Hanbury Williams, Knight of the Bath, to be his Majeſty's Enjoy Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the King of Pruſſia.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint the Honourable Edward Cornwallis, Eſq; to be Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over the Province of Nova Scotia, or Accadie, in America.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint George Bridges Rodney, Eſq; to be Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the Iſland of Newfoundland.

Whitehall, May 9.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint Michael Hatton, Eſq; to be his Majeſty's Conſul in the ſeveral Ports of Oſtend, Newport and Bruges, together with all their Members and Dependencies in the Province of Flanders, in the room of John Deane, Eſq;

Whitehall, April 21, 1749.

Whereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, that on Thurſday the 30th Day of March laſt paſt, the Malthouſe of Thomas Ward, of Kingſton upon Thames, in the County of Surry, ſituated in Kingſton aforeſaid, being compoſed entirely of Timber, wherein was contained a large Quantity of malted and other Grain, was wilfully and maliciouſly ſet on Fire in ſeveral Parts thereof, by Perſons unknown; and had not the ſame, by the timely Aſſiſtance of the Neighbours, been immediately extinguiſhed, the ſaid Malthouſe, together with the Grain therein contained, muſt inevitably have been conſumed, to the utter Ruin of the ſaid Thomas Ward, and the great Terror of the Neighbourhood thereabouts, whoſe Houſes would have been in infinite Danger, had not the Flame been prevented from riſing to a Head. His Majeſty for the better diſcovering and bringing the Offenders to Juſtice, is hereby graciouſly pleaſed to promiſe his moſt gracious Pardon to any one of the Perſons concerned in the abovementioned Crime, who ſhall diſcover any one or more of his Accomplices, ſo that he, ſhe, they, or any of them be apprehended and convicted thereof. BEDFORD.

And as a farther Encouragement for the making ſuch Diſcovery, I do hereby promiſe a Reward of Twenty

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Twenty Pounds, to any Perſon or Perſons whatſoever making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, ſo as he, ſhe, or they be apprehended and convicted thereof.

Tho. Ward.

Navy-Office, April 24, 1749.

The Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Navy give Notice, That on Tueſday the 23d of next Month, at Ten of the Clock in the Morning, Commiſſioner Hughes will expoſe to Sale at his Office in his Majeſty's Yard at Portſmouth, the Hulls of his Majeſty's Ships the Medway, Burthen 914 Tons; Montagu of 920 Tons; Cheſter of 703 Tons; Inverneſs of 354 Tons; Dolphin Fireſhip of 428 Tons; Vulcan Fireſhip of 228 Tons; and the Princeſs Royal Stereſhip of 546 Tons; together with the Maſts, Yards, Bowſprits, Pumps, &c. of ſome of them as they now lie at his Majeſty's ſaid Yard; where they, and the Particulars to be ſold with them, may be viewed by ſuch Perſons as are inclinable to attend the ſaid Sale, and bid for them. And as a Depoſit of 25 l. per Cent. or in Proportion thereto, is to be made by the Perſons who ſhall purchaſe the ſaid Ships and Particulars, all Perſons that ſhall attend the ſaid Sale, are to take Notice thereof, and come prepared for that Purpoſe: And unleſs the ſaid Ships and Particulars ſo purchaſed, ſhall be paid for and taken away at the End of Forty Days after the Day of Sale, the Depoſit ſhall be forfeited, and become the Property of the Crown.

Navy Office, May 3, 1749.

The Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy give Notice, That on Thurſday the 11th Inſtant, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning, they will expoſe to Sale at this Office, the Hull of his Majeſty's Ship the Milford, Burthen 714 Tons, lying at Woolwich: Alſo the Cornet Bomb, of 275 Tons, at Deptford, together with their Maſts, Bowſprits, &c. where they may be viewed by ſuch Perſons as are inclinable to attend the ſaid Sale and bid for them; and as a Depoſit of 25 l. per Cent. or in Proportion thereto, is to be made by the Perſons who ſhall purchaſe the ſaid Ships and Particulars, all Perſons who ſhall attend the ſaid Sale, are to take Notice thereof, and come prepared for that Purpoſe; and unleſs the Ships ſo purchaſed ſhall be paid for and taken away at the End of Forty Days, the Depoſit ſhall be forfeited and become the Property of the Crown.

Navy-Office, May 6, 1749.

The Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Navy give Notice, That on Wedneſday the 17th Inſtant, at Nine of the Clock in the Morning, Commiſſioner Vanbrugh will expoſe to Sale, at his Office in his Majeſty's Yard at Plymouth, the Hull of his Majeſty's Ship Portland's Prize, Burthen 866 Tons, together with her Maſts, Yards, &c. where they may be viewed by ſuch Perſons as are inclinable to attend the ſaid Sale, and bid for them. And as a Depoſit of 25 l. per Cent. or in Proportion thereto, is to be made by the Perſon who ſhall purchaſe the ſaid Ship and Particulars, all Perſons that ſhall attend the ſaid Sale, are to take Notice thereof, and come prepared for that Purpoſe; and unleſs the ſaid Ship and Particulars ſo purchaſed, ſhall be paid for and taken away at the End of Forty Days after the Day of Sale, the Depoſit ſhall be forfeited, and become the Property of the Crown.

Admiralty-Office, April 30, 1749.

His Majeſty having been graciouſly pleaſed, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th of June, 1733, to eſtabliſh certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commiſſion and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: Theſe are to give Notice, that Copies of the ſaid Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Navy at Chatham, Portſmouth, and Plymouth; as alſo with the Clerks of the Checque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerneſs; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinſale; where all ſuch Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the ſaid Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpoſe. But ſuch Widows as live at too great a Diſtance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Mr. Thomas Riley Blanckley, at the Admiralty Office, who will ſend them all neceſſary Information. And the Governors of the ſaid Charity intending to diſtribute to the Widows of Sea Officers who died before the 30th of Auguſt 1732, as well as to the Widows of thoſe who died ſince that Time, whoſe Circumſtances come within the Rules of the Eſtabliſhment, ſuch Monies as may be due to them on the 31ſt Day of May next; This is to give Notice, that any Widows who have not yet applied, and intend to lay in their Claims, may do ſo as ſoon as poſſible; and that all ſuch Widows whoſe Claims have been already allowed, may ſend or bring to this Office, by the 31ſt of next Month, the Affidavit required by the Rules, in order to their being continued upon the Penſion or Bounty.

Office of Ordnance, May 2, 1749.

The Principal Officers of His Majeſty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, That they intend to ſell by publick Auction, at their Office in the Tower, on Tueſday the 30th Inſtant, Several Lots of Parchment and Paper Cartridges, Tann'd Hides, Lanthorns, Match, Sheepſkins, Hand-ſcrews, Pole-Axes, Shovels, Spades, Swords, Muſquet Barrels, Blocks, Tarr'd Rope, Drums, Bayonets, Breechings, Armourers Tools, and other old and unſerviceable Stores; which may be viewed at the Tower of London: Where Printed Liſts of the Lots will be delivered to ſuch Perſons as apply for the ſame.

By Order of the Board,

Charles Buſh.

London, Dec. 2, 1748.

General Poſt-Office.

Whereas the Poſt-Boy, bringing the Weſt Mail from Andover to Baſingſtoke, was laſt Night, between the Hours of Seven and Eight, attacked on the Highway, about a Quarter of a Mile on this Side of a Place called Clarken Green, which is near Four Miles diſtant from Baſingſtoke in the County of Southampton, by a ſingle Highwayman, who carried off the Letters contained in the following Bags, viz. The two Exeter *Bags,* Shaftsbury, Aſhburton, Truro, Barnſtaple, Launceſton, Weymouth, Camelford, Bodmin, Totneſs, Ilcheſter, Dorcheſter, Somerton, Yeovil, *and* Blandford.

This is to give Notice, That whoever ſhall apprehend and convict, or cauſe to be apprehended and convicted, the Perſon who committed this Robbery, of whom no particular Deſcription is as yet come to Hand, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, *over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Perſon or Perſons, whether Accomplice in the ſaid Robbery, or knowing thereof, ſhall make Diſcovery, whereby the Perſon, who committed the ſame, may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice, ſuch Diſcoverer or Diſcoverers will, upon Conviction of the Party, be intitled to the ſame Reward of* Two Hundred Pounds, *and alſo have his Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon.*

By Command of the Poſt-Maſter General,

George Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

London, Jan. 16, 1748.

General-Poſt-Office.

Whereas the Poſt-Boy bringing the Swaffham Mail, from that Town to Thetford, on Saturday laſt, the 14th Inſtant, was attacked on the Highway, at a Place called Bodney, between Swaffham and Thetford, in the County of Norfolk, by two Highwaymen on Horſeback, who carried off the Letters contained in the Rougham, Holkham, Wells *and* Fakenham *Bags, and alſo the Letters*

Letters from ſeveral other Towns and Places in the Thetford Branch: *The Perſons who committed this Robbery are deſcribed to be both ſtout Men, and one of them was mounted on a light grey Horſe, and the other on a Brown one. He on the Grey Horſe was dreſſed in a Gold-laced light colour'd Waiſtcoat with a Great Coat over the ſame, and he on the Brown one, wore a compleat Soldier's Dreſs, with Gold Button Holes.*

This is therefore to give Notice, That whoever ſhall apprehend and convict, or cauſe to be apprehended and convicted, the Perſons, or either of them who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, *over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Perſon, or Perſons, whether Accomplice in the ſaid Robbery, or knowing thereof, do, or ſhall make Diſcovery, whereby the Perſons, or either of them, who committed the ſame, may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice, ſuch Diſcoverer or Diſcoverers will, upon Conviction of both, or either of the ſaid Robbers, be intituled to the ſame Reward of* Two Hundred Pounds, *and alſo have his Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon.*

By Command of the Poſt maſter General,
George Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of his Majeſty's Ships here under-mentioned, that their reſpective Shares of the Produce of the Mercury and the Bounty for her, and of the Produce of the Penelope, will be paid at the King's Arms on Tower-hill, on the Days placed againſt each Ship's Name, viz.

Yarmouth,	*Wedneſday* 7 *June*
Namur,	*Saturday* 10
Kent,	*Monday* 12
Hampton Court,	*Tueſday* 13
Prince Frederick,	*Friday* 16
Elizabeth,	*Monday* 19
Panther,	*Tueſday* 20
Salisbury,	*Wedneſday* 21
Princeſſa,	*Thurſday* 22 } *Penelope only.*
Auguſta,	*Saturday* 24 }

Theſe Ships will be recall'd at the ſame Place on the laſt Wedneſday of every Month for three Years after, beginning on the 26th of July next.

Notice is hereby given to the Petty Officers and Foremaſt Men, late belonging to his Majeſty's Ship Superbe, Capt. Thorpe Fowke, Commander, that the Shares unpaid for the Balance of their Prize Money for taking the Jeſu Maria Sainte Anne off Genoa the 3d of February 1747, *will be paid by Mr. Euſtace Kentiſh on Great Tower-hill, on Saturday the 3d of June next: And the Shares not then demanded, will be paid at the ſame Place the laſt Saturday in every Month for three Years following.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majeſty's Ship the Sheerneſs, who were on board at the taking the Hazard Sloop, that their reſpective Shares for Head Money will be paid on Monday the 5th of June next, at the Old South Sea-Houſe, Broad-ſtreet; and the Recalls at the ſame Place the firſt Monday in every Month for three Years to come.

Advertiſements.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Anthony Allen, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Houſe in Breame's Buildings, Chancery-Lane, The Real Eſtate of Benjamin Merryman, deceaſed, conſiſting of Nine Meſſuages in Roſe and Crown Court in the Pariſh of St. Bride, London; and two Meſſuages in Shoe-Lane in the ſame Pariſh; being together of the yearly Value of 86 l. or thereabouts. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Houſe.

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TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree and ſubſequent Order of the High Court of Chancery, either entire or in Parcels, before Robert Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court; at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane, London, on Friday the 9th of June next, between Four and Six in the Afternoon, The Manor of Shelvenſtrode and two Farms in the Pariſh of Eaſt Grinſtead in the County of Suſſex, one lett at the yearly Rent of 80 l. and the other at 42 l. 10 s. and about 200 Acres of Woodland in the ſame Pariſh; and alſo a Farm in the Pariſh of Hellingley in the ſaid County, lett at 30 l. a Year, late the Eſtate of Sir William Gage, Bart. deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Edwards, Eſq; one of the Maſter's of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-Lane, on Thurſday the 1ſt Day of June next, between the Hours of Four and Six in the Afternoon, The Manor of Little Granſden, ſituate in the Pariſh of Little Granſden in the County of Cambridge, and ſeveral Tenements or Farms and Woodlands within the ſaid Manor; the Whole of the yearly Value of 252 l. or thereabouts, late the Eſtate of John Pindar, Eſq; deceaſed. Particulars to be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time (for Robert Williamſon, late of Cork in Ireland, but now of Broad-ſtreet, London, Merchant, a Bankrupt, to make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects) for thirty Days, to be computed from the 6th Day of this Inſtant May: This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them will meet on the 5th Day of June next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors may then prove their Debts, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

THE Creditors, who have proved their Debts under the Commiſſion of Bankrupt lately awarded againſt John Smart, late of the Pariſh of St. Leonard Shoreditch in the County of Middleſex, Brickmaker and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects on Friday next, being the 12th of this Inſtant May, at Three in the Afternoon, at the King's Head Tavern in the Poultry, London, to conſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing or defending a Suit or Suits in Law or Equity touching the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate or Effects; and in order to the ſaid Aſſignees compounding one or more Debt or Debts due to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; or their ſubmitting to Arbitration the ſaid Debt or Debts, and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors of Thomas Atkinſon, late of Newington Butts in the County of Surry, Gardiner and Chapman, a Bankrupt, who have proved their Debts under the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt the ſaid Thomas Atkinſon, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Friday the 12th Day of May inſtant, at Mr. John Winter's the Swan Tavern in the Borough of Southwark, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing one or more Suit or Suits in Equity, or otherwiſe compounding, agreeing or ſubmitting to Arbitration any Matter relating to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, and on other ſpecial Affairs.

Whereas